

CLAIMS

- 1 1. A food enclosing container, in an operable position comprising:
 - 2 a. a top member and a bottom member, the members being thermoformed of
 - 3 absorbent, corrugated, laminated paperboard, including an exterior layer, an
 - 4 interior layer and an interposed corrugated layer, at least one of the members
 - 5 having sidewalls, each member having a peripheral rim, the rims being
 - 6 engagable;
 - 7 i. the top member having an unsealed interior surface so that it can
 - 8 absorb moisture from a contained food product;
 - 9 ii. the bottom member having an unsealed interior surface and a grease
 - 10 barrier layer within the interior of its paperboard; and
 - 11 b. a releasable, rebondable cohesive adhered to engageable surfaces of said rims
 - 12 to permit the members to be releasably bonded together, separated and
 - 13 rebonded together by contact.
- 1 2. The food enclosing container in accordance with claim 1, wherein said grease barrier
- 2 layer is laminated to the upper surface of the exterior layer of the bottom member within
- 3 the paperboard.

1 3. The food enclosing container in accordance with claim 1, wherein said grease barrier
2 layer is laminated to the corrugated layer of the bottom member within the paperboard.

1 4. The food enclosing container in accordance with claim 1, wherein both of said
2 members have pressformed sidewalls.

1 5. The food enclosing container in accordance with claim 4 and further comprising a
2 plurality of openings in the sidewall of the top member to allow moisture to escape prior
3 to condensing inside the container.

1 6. The food enclosing container in accordance with claim 4 wherein the top and bottom
2 members which have identically shaped sidewalls and central portion.

1 7. The food enclosing container in accordance with claim 6, wherein said rim of the top
2 member is engaged with said rim of the bottom member in an operable orientation to
3 form the container.